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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ADDS 9 NEW MEMBERS

Men's Auxiliary to Surgical Dressing Department of the Red Cross Was Organized in Evening

Committee Named to Solicit Funds for Tem- porary Repair of Kingwood From the Fill to Broadway

The Chamber of Commerce had an interesting meeting on Wednesday evening and committee reports indicated activity in the organization.

Nine new members were admitted, Neil O'Brien, of the O'Brien Mercantile Co.; W. E. Lively; T. H. Schaefer; George Berggren, C. D. Kennedy, owner of the Brainerd Laundry on South Sixth street; Ole D. Larson, Laurel street grocer; Lewis Harrison, new owner of the Iron Exchange hotel; I. Helstein, of the Patek Furniture Co.; E. S. Houghton.

Thirty-five memberships, some new, some renewals, were reported by the committee in charge.

Wm. Nelson was appointed a member of the house and social committee.

The annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be held on January 9. Nominations for officers and the committee on committees may be made after December 4, but must be in by five days prior to the closing day of January 4.

A report was made by the public affairs committee on the success attained in handling the last shipment of waste paper, a resume of the same having been printed in the Dispatch on November 21.

Fred T. Lincoln, manager of the 4-Minute Men, reported on their activities. There are 12 in the service, and weekly reports are made to Washington. The management of the local theatres is cooperating to the fullest extent. To date the Liberty bonds, food conservation and the Y. M. C. A. war work fund have been given publicity.

The treatment of "shadow Huns", the checking of any signs of disloyalty were informally discussed at a round table conversation. Dr. J. A. Thabes told of the treatment meted out to a Cass county man by the grand jury of that county. R. R. Wise told of cases coming before the Public Safety Commission and the remedies put in force.

A. L. Hoffman talked about finances and proposed a motion which carried that all requests for donations be referred to the finance committee.

P. B. Nettleton had a very encouraging and optimistic report on the work of the Brainerd Public Market. On his motion a vote of thanks was accorded Senator Geo. H. Gardner for his donation of two months rent at the Gardner block for the market quarters.

A report was made on the new mail route in operation serving 101 families and extending along State Highway No. 7 Brainerd to Nisswa, Hubert to Merrifield. Thanks were extended Postmaster H. P. Dunn, S. R. Adair and George Rardin.

A men's auxiliary to the surgical dressing department of the Red Cross was formed following Paul G. Clarkson's able exposition of the matter. The committee named included Chairman Paul G. Clarkson and Dr. I. C. Edwards, D. E. Whitney, Dr. R. A. Beise, Dr. J. A. Thabes, Dr. Werner Hemstead. Meetings will be held Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays. Members joining included Dr. R. A. Beise, Dr. I. C. Edwards, F. E. Stout, Henry I. Cohen, F. A. Farrar, A. T. Havens, Thomas Beare, D. E. Whitney, O. A. Peterson, S. R. Adair, Wm. Spencer, Dr. J. A. Thabes, R. R. Denison, A. L. Hoffman, Giles P. O'Brien, E. A. Colquhoun.

Crow Wing county has secured a \$400 appropriation for prize money

from the state as the basis of a poultry show exhibition, so E. A. Colquhoun reported and in which matter Representative Hilding A. Swanson was of aid.

It was voted to make Dr. J. A. Thabes chairman of a committee to raise funds of \$25 for the committee on charitable work, to cooperate with the Associated Charities.

To the Chamber of Commerce drum corps was donated \$25.

A committee appointed to solicit funds for the temporary repair of Kingwood street from the fill to Broadway was appointed, being Hugo A. Kaatz, O. A. Peterson and R. M. Sheets.

Dues are to be collected according to the by-law provisions and the delinquents posted.

N. H. Ingersoll reported on the collection of money for the soldiers company fund at Camp Dodge. In Brainerd individuals had contributed \$48 and the Brotherhood of All Railway Employees had given \$40, the proceeds of their benefit dance. The amount had been sent to A. J. McLennan of Crosby, county chairman of the fund.

Secretary Lincoln announced that plans for the Northern Minnesota Development Association meeting in the city December 6 and 7 were about completed. The committee on conventions meets with the secretary early this week to perfect plans for the local entertainment.

Ban Johnson Wants Ball Players Exempt Request Not Popular

(By United Press)

Chicago, Nov. 22—Ban Johnson announces that he will ask the war department to exempt from draft 18 baseball players stating that this means is necessary to keep base ball alive during the war. He makes the claim that unless this request is granted minor leagues must suspend during the war.

Tener Says Unpatriotic
New York, Nov. 22—President Tener is not likely to duplicate Johnson's proposal, as he claims it is unpatriotic.

Bad Precedent
Washington, Nov. 22—Officials here dislike Johnson's proposal, stating it would be a bad precedent to set.

Suffragettes Refuse Eat Fried Chicken

(By United Press)

Washington, Nov. 22—Fried chicken and other delicacies were offered the suffragette pickets now in the workhouse in an attempt to get them to break their hunger strike, but without success.

Germans Repulsed

(By United Press)

Rome, Nov. 22—An official statement says that the enemy attacks around San Marino were sanguinarily repulsed.

SIR EDWARD CARSON.

Defends British war leaders in speech made in London.



Sir Edward Carson has attacked Lord Northcliffe in a speech in which he defended the military and naval leaders from recent attacks and characterized the agitation as a "sham crisis."

Trotsky Asks a Revision War Aims by the Allies

(By United Press)

Copenhagen, Nov. 22—Foreign Minister Trotsky of the Russian Bolshevik forces sent a message to all the allies asking for a revision of the war aims, threatening if the request was not complied with or unannounced that Bolsheviks will consider themselves justified in making separate peace.

Commander Refused Negotiate Armistice Summarily Disposed

(By United Press)

Petrograd, Nov. 22—The people's commissaries directed Gen. Dukentsev named commander in chief of the Russian forces by Bolsheviks to negotiate for an armistice. The general refused to obey and was summarily deposed, Ensign Krylenko being named to replace him. Orders for the arrest of all guards of counter revolutionary generals were issued.

Germans Extend Barred Zone to Include Azores

(By United Press)

Amsterdam, Nov. 22—Berlin dispatches announced the extension of the German barred zone to include the Azores and Greek waters. It says the Azores contain important hostile bases for buffer for Atlantic navigation. The neutrals are allowed a week in which to withdraw.

British Victories Continue Triumphant on Hindenburg Line

(By United Press)

With the British Armies Behind the Hindenburg Lines, Nov. 22—The British victories continued triumphant with the smashing of the Hindenburg line, the tanks, then the cavalry and then the infantry making the same formation plays as originally.

The Tommies are nearing Cambrai, the great German depot, and are fighting practically in the open now, the Germans being forced from the trenches after the Hindenburg line was smashed to Flanders.

British are Nearing Cambrai

London, Nov. 22—Gen. Haig reports that the British are within two and three-quarters miles of Cambrai, and says "north of Containville we attacked and captured Fontaine de Notre Dame village taking a number of prisoners."

American Army Officers Knew English Plans

(By United Press)

Washington, Nov. 22—American army officers returning from France knew the British were planning the extensive use of tanks in the Arras offensive and kept the secret. One officer told the United Press that the tanks in use in the smash on the Hindenburg line were monsters of a size undreamed of.

German Intrigue Stirring Trouble Anew in Mexico

(By United Press)

Washington, Nov. 22—It is authoritatively stated that German intrigue is stirring anew trouble in Mexico and that hundreds of Teuton agents are availing themselves of Mexican neutrality for a recurrence of the fighting and plotting by Villa, Zapata, Huelaz and Felix Diaz. The real seriousness of the outcome of the agitation is that the output of the Tampico and Tuxpam oil fields are probably curtailed and that some of the American war strength will be diverted from Europe for work on the border.

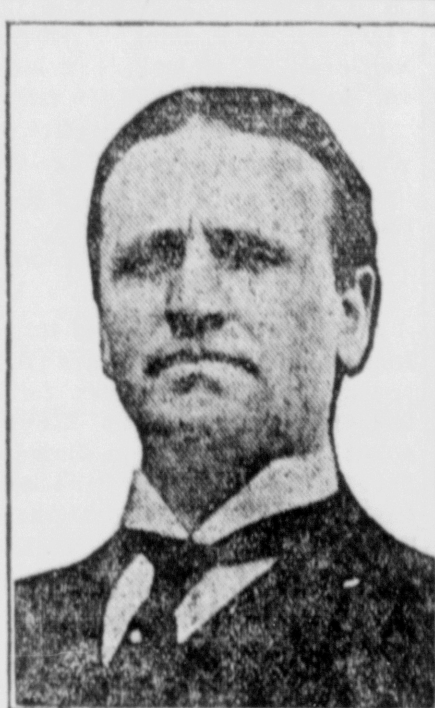
Lenine in Employ German Spy System

(By United Press)

Paris, Nov. 22—The French government has absolute proof that Nicholas Lenine, the Bolshevik dictator at Petrograd, was sent to Russia by the German spy system and is a creature of the Prussian propaganda service.

SEN. H. F. ASHURST.

Finds Hawaiian plea for U. S. built defenses are justified.



United States Senator Henry F. Ashurst of Arizona, member of the congressional party which recently went to the Hawaiian islands on an investigating tour, has just returned to this country. "There is no question that claims of Hawaiian people for larger appropriations for fortifications and military roads are justified, and this visit has opened the eyes of representatives," said Senator Ashurst.

Italians Still Hold Every Inch of Line and Repulse Attacks

(By United Press)

Rome, Nov. 22—Seven separate desperate attacks from the enemy during the past 56 hours against Italy's defenders between the Piave and Breneta rivers have been thrown back, and every inch of the line holds firm. This news gave Rome the first quiet jubilation as every hour of delay means greater strength for the defense.

Germans Report Capture Summits

(By United Press)

Berlin, Nov. 22—It is officially reported that the summits of Monte Fontana and Monte Spinnuccia between Breneta and Piave rivers have been stormed and captured.

Proclaim Armistice for Belligerents

(By United Press)

London, Nov. 22—Dispatches from Petrograd says that Lenine and Trotsky dictators there propose to proclaim an armistice for all belligerents when they are firmly established.

PLANS TO ENTERTAIN 500 AT CONVENTIONS

Northern Minnesota Development Association, Sheep Growers and Potato Growers to Meet

In Brainerd Dec. 6 and 7, Gardner Hall for Potato Exhibit, Meetings at Chamber of Commerce

MAY FORCE PIAVEFRONT

Plans for the entertainment of at least five hundred out of town visitors at the annual meeting of the Northern Minnesota Development association in this city on December 6-7 are about completed.

The fact that the meeting will in fact be a three-in-one convention and that the State Potato Growers and Northern Minnesota Sheep Growers associations are to meet with the N. M. D. A. boosters adds keen interest to the coming event, which is expected to mean much to the interests of northern Minnesota.

The special committee, made up of A. B. Hostetter of Duluth, Otto L. Bergh, Grand Rapids; A. G. Tolaas, University Farm; E. A. Colquhoun and Fred T. Lincoln, of Brainerd, met this week and went over the plans and details.

Gardner hall has been secured for the potato exhibit and at least 500 separate displays are expected, according to the inquiries coming in. The hall is large, well adapted for the show and will afford a splendid opportunity to display the aristocrats of the potato family to the best advantage.

In the room below, machinery used in planting and handling of potatoes will be on exhibition and advices indicate that a number of the leading manufacturers will be represented.

The Brainerd Retail Market is adjacent to this room and visitors will be afforded an opportunity to visit this innovation in the handling of farm and garden truck for the accommodation of both growers and consumer.

The social sessions of the gathering will be held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce and the smoker, according to plans being made under the direction of R. R. Wise, vice president of the N. M. D. A. and Secretary Lincoln, will be a decidedly lively affair. The business meetings will also be held here and a separate room has been secured for the sheep growers' association, as the officials are anxious to indicate their keen interest in this movement which has long been advocated by them.

Hotels are making plans to show true Brainerd courtesy, different organizations are joining in efforts to make the convention a big success and with fair weather, prospects for a record-breaking attendance and a profitable meeting are bright.

Favorable responses have been received from each of the several prominent men on the program which will be one of the best ever offered. Already wide publicity has been given the coming meeting and the secretary is receiving inquiries from a wide territory and from several states. The out-of-town and neighboring states representation promises to be the largest in the history of the association's many prolific meetings.

German Treachery Falls.
The enemy won his first blow by treachery in the army and in the civilian population, then the sudden overwhelming spectacle of perfectly equipped Teutonic armies made Italian officers lose their heads. Germany played for a revolution in Italy, like that she aided in Russia. She will never attain that hope.

3,000 I. W. W. FACING ARREST
Greatest Roundup of Vandals Begins in Oil Fields.

Kansas City, Nov. 22—What is expected to prove the greatest roundup of I. W. W. agitators in the history of the Middle West is on through-out the Kansas Oil fields, and it is probable that 3,000 arrests will be made.

The largest raid so far reported was at Augusta, Kan., where 22 were arrested. Several leaders for that district and a large amount of literature were taken. Many other arrests were made during the night in the Augusta and Eldorado oil field districts, which has been the center of the I. W. W. disturbances.

Department Store Fire Causes Death

(By United Press)

Oskola, Iowa, Nov. 22—Two are dead and several injured in a fire that caused a loss of \$150,000 in the Ettinger department store.

Russian Supplies Will Not be Halted

(By United Press)

Washington, Nov. 22—The war trades bureau has officially announced that the supplies now moving to Russia would not be halted.

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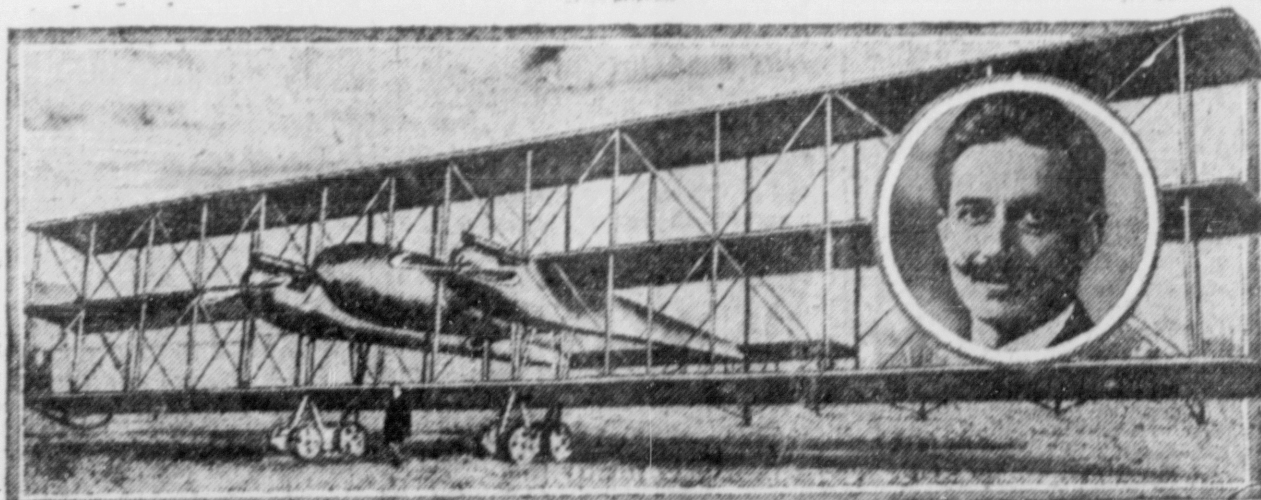
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Jury Freed Shay on Murder Charge at Indianapolis

(By United Press)

Indianapolis, Nov. 22—The jury freed Danny Shay, manager of the Milwaukee baseball club, who claimed self defense in shooting Clarence Buel, negro waiter in a hotel cafe.

Great Caproni Triplane Almost Ready for Flight



Lieutenant Resnati, the Italian aviator, who has shown Americans how to fly a biplane which carries 12 passengers, is now assembling in Virginia the great Caproni triplane, which will carry twenty persons. This was built by Giovanni Caproni in Italy, and shipped to the United States. The flight may be from Virginia to New York.

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There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. One hundred dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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THE WEATHER

Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours:
Lower temperature.
Cooperative observer's record, 6:30 P. M.—
November 21, maximum 52, minimum 36. Rainfall and hail near noon, trace.
November 22, minimum during the night, 22.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

News of Parties, Visitors, Visits, Deaths, Accidents, Etc., gratefully received by the Dispatch. Telephone North-west 74.

Trains are crowded these days with hunters and soldiers.

For Spring Water phone 264. Attorney George B. Edgerton of St. Paul is in the city.

Store your household goods with D. M. Clark & Co. 1291f
Henry Bouck of South Long Lake township was in the city today.

Columbia Grafonolas. Come in and hear them. Folsom Music Co. 1441f

F. H. Gruenhagen returned this afternoon from a business trip to Motley.

Leather photograph folders, just what the soldier boys need, at D. E. Whitney's. 1051f

Roland Hicks and Richard Wagner of Remer are in the city on business matters.

December list of Columbia Records now on sale. Folsom Music Co. 1441f

The next regular meeting of the water and light board will be held on Tuesday evening, November 27.

A flashlight puts the light where you want it. Buy the Eveready kind at Brainerd Electric Co., 721 Laurel St. 1461f

Maud Phelps left Tuesday for Thier River Falls to accept a position as stenographer for the Empire Land Co.

No excuse to be without a flashlight. See window display and remarkable price reduction at Brainerd Electric Co., 721 Laurel St. 1461f

The railway ice house west of the depot is being dismantled and rumors have it this may be the site of the new depot.

Brass and silver photo frames, all sizes and at prices to suit you at D. E. Whitney's. 1051f

J. H. Vtereg, superintendent of gas plants of the Whitney Utilities of St. Cloud, was in Brainerd and inspected the local plant.

Just received a splendid line of Men's Silk Shirts. These make ideal Christmas gifts. B. Kaatz & Son. 1

New license automobile tags on cars from Minneapolis bear white figures on a black background and the years 1918, 1919, 1920.

Trays, art candle sticks, nut bowls, and fruit bowls at D. E. Whitney's. 1051f

The rooms south of the Western Union offices, it is reported, may be occupied as additional quarters by the Northwestern Telephone Exchange company.

We receive a fresh stock of Eveready flashlight batteries every week. Brainerd Electric Co., 721 Laurel St. 1461f

E. C. Bane has moved his real estate office from the First National bank building to the Citizens State bank building, room 215, formerly occupied by D. C. Peacock. 1261f

The first Y. M. C. A. collection at the Ransford hotel was participated in by hotel manager, hotel clerks, chef, bell hops and porters. A second one takes in the dining room girls and others.

Player Pianos and Pianos sold on easy terms. Folsom Music Co. 1441f
The mild weather pleases householders in saving coal and wood, but it is having an effect on trade and some stores complain that women are not shopping for winter wearables when Indian summer weather reigns.

Every soldier should have one of those leather photoholders at D. E. Whitney's to carry the photograph of his sweetheart and mother. 1051f

The Dispatch ran nearly a column of want ads on Wednesday evening. There were 5 help wanted, 12 for rent, 9 for sale and 2 miscellaneous wants.

Crystal Spring water, \$1.00 month. L. Bourassa, Telephone 13. 541m

Dispatch want ads work at small pay and do the task assigned them. Telephone your want to Dispatch, Northwest 74, or mail it or have it sent to the office. Ads are cash.

Select your Christmas gifts now. We are showing a splendid selection this season. Let us show you. B. Kaatz & Son. 1t
Call 767-W for board and room. 1431f

A committee composed of Hugo A. Kaatz, O. A. Peterson and R. M. Sheets is soliciting funds for the temporary improvement of Kingwood street from the Mill to Broadway. Should the committee miss seeing anyone interested, the donations may be mailed to the chairman, Mr. Kaatz.

In accordance with the suggestions of the United States Food Administration, we have made a voluntary agreement not to serve any meat for lunches on Tuesdays and no wheat bread for lunches on Wednesdays.—Eriessons Bk. Bakery. 1261f

R. R. Gould speaks at the Best to night in the interests of the Y. M. C. A. war work fund. Rev. H. G. Stacey gave a remarkably good talk at the Best on Wednesday evening which stirred all his hearers. Both 4-Minute Men are doing good work in giving publicity to the Y. M. C. A. movement.

Nettleton rents and sells houses and wooded lots for fuel. 1321f

For the benefit of you who have been anxiously inquiring when the next Commercial College Hop was to be given, we are glad to announce that tomorrow night's the night. Same hall, same dandy music, but a bigger and better time. The proceeds go to swell the Y. M. C. A. War Fund. Don't let anything hinder you from attending.

Some of our boys will miss their turkey trot this Thanksgiving, but there are a lot of remembrances you can send them to warm their hearts. By the time the boys have paid their monthly installment on insurance, Liberty bonds and on necessities; there isn't much left of their pay and you can't spend any surplus money to better advantage. See the fine display of stocks suitable for presents at the H. W. Linnemann store. 1421f

"Chevrolets will not be sold in such large numbers owing to curtailment of sales," said Louis Sherlund, of the Sherlund company. He says his company will receive a limited quota of the cars owing to government restrictions which is mobilizing the automobile factories to shortly put their whole attention to the manufacture of trucks, etc. for the government.

The Social Committee of the Brainerd Commercial College, who are giving the second of their popular dances tomorrow evening at the K. C. parlors, have voted to give the proceeds of this hop to the Y. M. C. A. War Fund. This met with the hearty approval of the entire school, so your 75c admission will do double duty. Give you the best time you've ever had, and help you put a most worthy cause "Over the Top." Be present and make this occasion the biggest success ever. 1t



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At the Best
TODAY

DEER HUNTERS

Parties Successful Shot Deer Near Emily and in the Woods Near Cloquet

A party of six, each with a deer, has returned from ten days in the woods near Emily. The head of the expedition was Henry Rosko, champion deer hunter of the northwest, and his brother Pete Rosko, George Johnson the battery man, Clyde E. Parker and two farmers. Many stay-at-homes can attest to the generosity of the party who gave cuts of meat to many of their friends.

A party headed by Rev. M. L. Hostager got a deer each in the woods north of Cloquet. The successful hunters were Rev. Hostager, Carl Johnson, Gustav Halvorson and M. J. Reis.

One of the most wonderful hunting exploits brought out of the north woods is that of George Johnson, the local Willard battery man. He was out hunting with Joe and Henry Rosko, Clyde E. Parker and others and took a shot at a fleeing deer. The deer never dropped, but a roar of pain followed from the brush and a violent upheaval on examination disclosed a black bear of 375 pounds weight, accidentally brought down by Johnson when he attempted to get the deer. It appears that Johnson and the bear were both after the same quarry.

Henry Rosko, one of the party, shot a freak of a deer, an animal with white legs and a small strip of brown on the back.

Joe Goedderz, while trailing a deer through a swamp, was caught in a heavy fog and attached himself to a stump and stayed in the tamarack firing shots for help until found.

At their garage in town, "Teddy," pet bear of the Rosko Brothers, on November 21, started digging his winter quarters and made a hole six feet deep. Teddy is so fat that frequent roasting spells are necessary. When disturbed at his labors the bear loses his usual good nature and is ready for a finish fight.

ROLL OF HONOR

Many physicians and dentists from Minnesota were among those named for commissions in the officers reserve corps Wednesday and among the first lieutenants, medical corps, were Dr. P. L. Berge of this city, and first lieutenants, dental corps, Earl A. Thompson, International Falls, the latter gentleman having been in practice in this city before going to the above place. Many of the newly commissioned officers have been attending the medical officers training school at different places where special instructions in different branches have been taught, and all will be assigned to active duty with medical and dental units at camps and cantonments or assigned with base hospital units now being organized for service in France.

Bob Stickney, at Camp Dodge training camp, gained 15 pounds in weight. He said all the boys were well fed and looked it too. The commissary department was doing its share. Leave it to the men, as the lodge ladies say at the parties and there will always be enough to eat. Mr. Stickney left this noon for Camp Dodge.

Sergeant Towne Hayes, Battery D, 83d Artillery, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hayes, arrived in the city this afternoon from Cheyenne, Wyoming, where he is stationed. Sergeant Hayes has been absent from the city

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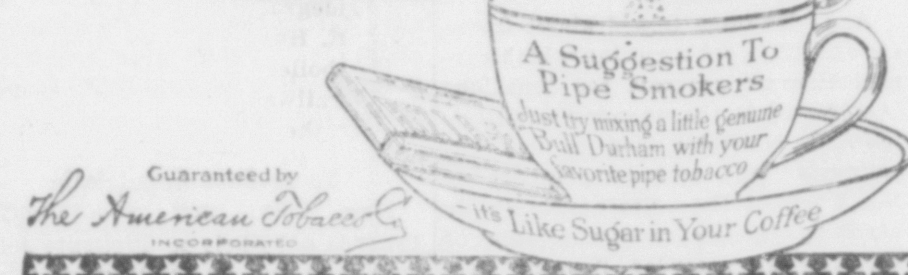
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Private Kopovitz and Sergeant Dennis with mascot of the 166th U. S. Infantry ("Rainbow Division"). Look for the famous mascot sack

"I received the picture and the BULL DURHAM and was glad to get them"

—writes a soldier boy in France to his mother over here.

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Like Sugar in Your Coffee

Paddy Was Sore.

Twins somewhere in France, and the trenches looked like some river not on the map. Paddy was on guard in the communication trenches and was up to his chest in water. Along came a Tommy, who inquired of Paddy if he would direct him to a Company in the First Blankshires. Paddy's temper was not the best, for he had had a long, weary guard, and was not in form for being questioned. "Holy smoke!" he replied, viewing his surroundings. "Chuck it! I'm not a bloomin' harbor master!"

Appreciate the Honors.

Some of the French soldier-politicians, veterans of the Marne, of the Yser and of Verdun, have made their appearance in the streets of Paris, after having done their share at making war, and they are showing themselves quite capable of doing their bit in the keeping of the peace, says a Paris correspondent. All are more or less decorated with the war crosses, military medals or other ribbons. The ribbons and chevrons seem to have a great calming influence upon turbulent spirits.

STOP CATARRH! OPEN NOSTRILS AND HEAD

Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Relieves Head-Colds at Once.

If your nostrils are clogged and your head is stuffed and you can't breathe freely because of a cold or catarrh, just get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm at any drug store. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream into your nostrils and let it penetrate through every air passage of your head, soothing and healing the inflamed, swollen mucous membrane and you get instant relief.

Ah! how good it feels. Your nostrils are open, your head is clear, no more hawking, snuffling, blowing; no more headache, dryness or struggling for breath. Ely's Cream Balm is just what sufferers from head colds and catarrh need. It's a delight.

R. CAMPBELL LEDWARD
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TEACHER TRAINING CLASS GRADUATES

Exercises of Sunday School to be Held Friday Evening at the First Baptist Church

REV. E. L. PALMERTON SPEAKER

Dr. Joseph Nicholson, President Co. Sunday School Association, Presents Diplomas

A class in teacher training in the Sunday school of the First Baptist church, will hold their graduation exercises at the church on Friday night at 7:30.

Rev. R. L. Palmerton of Iowa, a successful pastor and evangelist of several years' experience, will deliver the address. Dr. Joseph Nicholson, president of the Crow Wing County Sunday School association, will present the diplomas.

This will be the sixth class that have taken the prescribed course in teacher training under the state association.

Mrs. A. E. Thayer, the teacher of the present class, has conducted four successful classes to the completion of this course.

The Sunday school of the First Baptist church has the distinction of graduating the largest number of classes of any Sunday school in Crow Wing county. With the present class 37 pupils have completed the course and the superintendent, G. A. Beale, says he seldom has any trouble in securing teachers for the Sunday school.

Rev. Palmerton is a very interesting speaker and everyone interested in Sunday school work in any of the churches in the city should take the opportunity of hearing him tomorrow night.

Her Eighth Birthday

Violet Gifford celebrated her eighth birthday on Monday evening after school. Games were played. She received many pretty gifts. At the luncheon served these twelve little girls were present:

Esther Soder, Evelyn Bloomstrom, Eleanor Miller, Alice Benson, Nelara Gillette, Christina Hanson, Kathryn Stein, Eleanor Gillette, Alice Storzbach, Vivian Gillette, Charlotte Gifford, Ruth Schwartz, Violet Gifford.

Dorcas Parcel Social

On Friday evening the Dorcas society of the Swedish Bethany church will hold a parcel social in the church. A good program will be given after which the sale of parcels will be held. Refreshments will be served by the young ladies of the society.

Litany Service

St. Paul's Episcopal church litany service and short address on the "Education of the Soul." This is the first of a series of talks on self-control. All are welcome to the service at 7:30 P. M. Choir practice at 8 o'clock.

Ready Workers Class

The Ready Workers class of the Peoples Congregational church will be entertained on Friday night by Miss Myrtle Olson at her home on First Ave. A large attendance is desired.

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No advance in price for this 20-year-old remedy—25c for 24 tablets—Some cold tablets now 30c for 21 tablets—Figured on proportionate cost per tablet, you save 9½c when you buy Hill's—Cures Cold in 24 hours—grip in 3 days—Money back if it fails. 24 Tablets for 25c. At any Drug Store

THANKSGIVING SALE

To be Held by the Salvation Army on Monday and Tuesday Evenings, Nov. 26 and 27

A big Thanksgiving sale will be held by the Salvation Army on the evenings of Monday and Tuesday, November 26 and 27 at the army hall on West Front street. There will be a sale of goods for the benefit of the local work of the army.

Goods of all kinds are being collected for this occasion and will be sold to the highest bidder, also a fine line of fancy work has been made for this sale and will be of special interest to the ladies.

Many of the articles are suitable for Christmas presents. Everybody is asked to attend the sale and help in the work of the Army.

FOR SOLDIER BOY

Andrew Anderson Guest of Honor at Party Given at Home of His Parents

There was a pleasant gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Anderson on his farm in Crow Wing township south of Brainerd on Tuesday evening, when a party was given in honor of their son, Andrew, who is home on a short furlough from Camp Dodge, Iowa. Some 75 guests were present.

Some of those at the party were Mr. and Mrs. John Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stendal and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kozel and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Parry and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Potter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Johnson and family, and many of the soldier boys of Mr. Anderson's company and all the young people of the vicinity.

The evening was spent in conversation, music and games. A luncheon was served in the evening. All had a most enjoyable time.

ANNUAL PRAISE SERVICE

Missionary Society of Presbyterian Church to Meet at Home of Mrs. Archie Purdy

The annual praise service of the Missionary society of the Presbyterian church will be held at the home of Mrs. Archie Purdy Friday afternoon, Nov. 23, at 3 o'clock.

This is one of the best meetings of the society and it is hoped the congregation of the church and its friends will set aside the afternoon for this service of praise and worship. Never has the country needed the guidance of the Master as we do now nor has there ever been a time in its history when the people of this great United States should praise and thank Him as now.

Waffle-Husmann

A pretty church wedding was solemnized at the German Lutheran church when Miss Mabel Waffle and Elmer Husmann, both of this city, were married, the pastor, Rev. Mueller, officiating, on Wednesday.

The bride was attended by Miss Muriel Ford and the bridegroom by his cousin, Clarence Ohm.

The bride was dressed in burgundy crepe de chine and carried bridal roses and the bridesmaid wore gray taffeta and carried pink carnations.

The bride is a sister of C. G. Waffle of this city and has only made Brainerd her home for the past year, her former residence being Wabasha. The bridegroom is a son of Contractor E. H. Husmann and is employed at the boiler shop of the Northern Pacific railway company.

After the ceremony a bountiful wedding dinner was served at the home of the groom, the house being tastefully decorated in green and white, smilax and carnations.

Many beautiful presents were received and the happy couple left on the morning train for the Twin Cities and southern part of the state. They will be at home after Dec. 1.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Husmann of Bluffs, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Husmann and baby of St. Cloud, and Mr. Hammett of Deerwood.

The Dispatch joins in extending best wishes for their continued happiness and prosperity.



THE RETURN OF THE PRODIGAL

One of the big moments in "Turn to the Right!" to be presented at the Park Opera House with the original Chicago Cast

CROSBY MAKES A NOBLE RECORD

Raises More Than its Share in Y. M. C. A. War Work Fund Drive Held in the County

STANDS NEXT TO BRAINERD

Mrs. W. B. Cook Entertained Friday Study Club in Honor of Mrs. W. S. Pitt

Crosby, Minn., Nov. 22—Crosby did nobly in raising its share of the county quota of \$16,000 for Y. M. C. A. war work funds, standing next to Brainerd in the amount raised.

Mrs. A. J. Hayes has returned from a visit with her sister in St. Paul. Wm. Bamberg attended the Loyalty meeting in St. Paul.

George H. Crosby has been re-elected president of the Northland Country club of Duluth.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Lindbergh are now living in the Pitt block.

Mrs. W. B. Cook entertained the ladies of the Friday Study club on Tuesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. W. S. Pitt. Five hundred was played at three tables.

School children gave the Y. M. C. A. war work fund much support and were also an aid in publicity work.

Miss Florence Treloar has returned from Rochester, where she has been a pianist of the Obrecht Sisters orchestra.

Miss Helen Bouton was a guest of her sister in St. Cloud.

W. A. Guith has made application for the position of street commissioner.

Wm. Petrabor and Earl Dawson have joined the aviation corps.

The Mothers club of Crosby held a Tag Day to raise Y. M. C. A. war work funds.

John Breen was at Duluth and Hibbing on business matters.

Ben Milzen was at Duluth Sunday. Mrs. E. S. Folio has returned from a week's visit with her mother in Jacobson.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church was entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Sinclair.

John Cox, Elmer Anderson and Harold Benedict have been hunting deer near Shovel Lake.

Miss Veronica Furlong is recovering from an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Raps attended a convention of the Equitable Life Assurance agencies at St. Paul.

A. J. McLennan was at Duluth on business matters, returning home on Tuesday.

George Thorpe has bought the B. B. Gaylord residence at Crosby Beach. Thomas Keating of Minneapolis was on the range.

Barrows Methodist

Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock will occur the regular public preaching service conducted by the pastor, Rev. F. W. Hill. Sermon subject, "The Pathway of Joy."

Lines to Be Remembered.

The sun illuminates the hills while it is still below the horizon; and truth is discovered by the highest minds a little before it becomes manifest to the multitude. This is the extent of their superiority. They are the first to catch and reflect a light, which, with their assistance, must, in a short time, be visible to those who lie far beneath them.—Macaulay.

AMUSEMENTS

"Turn to the Right!"

Various square and crooked financial transactions in "Turn to the Right!" represent changes in money in the sum of \$571.50. Winchell Smith, the author and co-producer, insists that real currency be used and this is one of the many realistic details which will be noted by local audiences when the play is presented at the Park opera house Sunday, December 9th. The original Chicago cast and production will be seen here.

IRONTON MEN AT LOYALTY MEET

Northern Pacific Railway Men Inspect Ironton and Improvements May be Made

TRACKAGE AND TRAIN TIME

Ironton Commercial Club Dance on Thanksgiving Day—Man Killed at the Feigh Mine

Ironton, Minn., Nov. 21—The big loyalty meeting in St. Paul was attended by many of Ironton's prominent citizens, D. B. McAlpine, Robert E. Lunbohm, L. L. Wilson, Theodore Grimstad and E. R. Burns.

Northern Pacific railway officials visited Ironton and it is believed improvements in trackage and trains is probable. In the party were R. M. Rapleje, general manager; W. H. Strachan, superintendent of the Lake Superior division; Traveling Engineer Emerson; Roadmaster Joseph Smith and Trainmaster D. E. Nichols.

J. O. Mareetich was at Brainerd on business matters.

Walter Hannukula was killed at the Feigh mine when he fell 120 feet down the shaft.

Edward R. Syverson was a Brainerd visitor.

James Geraghty, an organizer of the Moose, was in Ironton in the interests of the order.

D. B. Whitford has opened a tailor shop in the village. He is a talented violinist.

Charles E. Benson has started a cash and carry store.

The Ironton Commercial club is to give a dance on Thanksgiving Day.

Swan Swanson won the billiard cue at Parden & McGarry's opening of their billiard parlors.

GEN. PERSHING SEES GREAT BATTLE FOUGHT

British Army Headquarters in France, Nov. 22.—General Pershing left the Cambrai front, having spent the day with Field Marshal Haig witnessing the operations. The American commander was close to the front.

Indians Start a Bank.
Olympia, Wash., Nov. 22.—W. E. Hanson, state bank examiner, has announced that a bank charter has been issued to the American Commercial bank of Wapato, with a capital stock of \$25,000 and a surplus of \$2,500. Examiner Hanson says this is the first bank to which he has issued a charter where the directing management is composed of men of Indian blood. The question was raised as to whether Indians might engage in banking, but the legal advice is that there is no prohibition against them.

DEERWOOD IN Y. M. C. A. WORK

People Entered Heartily in Campaign to Raise War Fund, One Firm Gave \$50

B. MAGOFFIN LUCKY HUNTER

Potts Exploration Co. Finishes Drilling Contract in Wisconsin—Other Deerwood News

Deerwood, Minn., Nov. 21—Deerwood worked valiantly to raise its quota in the Y. M. C. A. war fund work and one Deerwood firm subscribed \$50.

Carl Rosberg has sold his meat market to John Greve of Pequot.

H. T. Galbraith, known to many Deerwood people, died in Sand Springs, Oklahoma.

Olsen Skau was at Brainerd on business pertaining to county road work.

The Potts Exploration Co. has completed drilling in Wisconsin and has now stored its machinery in Deerwood.

Godfrey Crone was at McGregor Thursday.

A Liberty bread, cake and cookie demonstration was given Monday afternoon at the Bay Lake Fruit Growers store.

A community song service was held at the old school house on Sunday evening.

Robert Archibald, veteran of the civil war, will spend the winter at Hot Springs, S. D.

Fog caused a train wreck in the Deerwood yards, several cars buckling up when the engineer "dynamited" his train as he struck a torpedo warning him of an extra ahead.

Postmaster Wm. Reid was at Brainerd Tuesday.

Mrs. Carl Rosberg with her sister, Mrs. Godfrey Crone, are visiting their parents at Lake Nebagamon, Wisconsin.

B. Magoffin, Jr., shot a buck near Kimberly.

Thomas Keating of Minneapolis was in the city.

Rev. S. H. Swanson has accepted a call to a church in LaFayette.

Scarcity of hay is causing some farmers to sell their stock.

W. A. Sundberg of Atkin has succeeded George Plaxton as an operator at the Northern Pacific railway depot.

Wm. Raulen, stepfather of Joseph Raymond, had an epileptic stroke Wednesday.

TAKE WARNING!

The following articles are under government control: Wheat flour, rye flour, barley and barley flour, oatmeal, rolled oats, corn grits, corn meal, hominy, starch from corn, corn oil, corn syrup and glucose, rice, dried beans, dried peas, cottonseed oil, lard, lard substitutes, cooking fats, cheese, condensed and evaporated milk, canned beef, cured pork, canned peas, canned dried beans, canned tomatoes, canned corn, canned salmon and sardines, dried prunes, dried apples, dried peaches and raisins, sugar, molasses and syrups.

Conditions are unchanged so far as supplies are concerned and we again call on all retailers to conserve their sugar and other supplies. You must neither hoard any of these articles yourself nor permit your customers to buy more than reasonable

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IF BACK HURTS BEGIN ON SALTS

Flush the Kidneys at once when Back-ache or Bladder bothers—Meat forms uric acid.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headache, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which all regular meat eaters should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.

Red Cross Aids Italian Refugees. Rome, Nov. 22.—In addition to its previous gifts the American Red Cross has given 1,000,000 lire for the assistance of families of soldiers and of refugees from territory invaded by the enemy.

Sugar For Russia Seized. New York, Nov. 22.—Ten thousand tons of sugar which had been purchased for the imperial Russian government before the revolution and stored in a warehouse here, has been seized by Federal Administrator G. M. Rolph. It will be placed upon the market immediately and will be distributed to retailers by the American Refiners' sugar committee.

FLASHLIGHT SALE

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"A Shine In Every Drop"

Get a Can TO-DAY From Your Hardware or Grocery Dealer

BLACK SILK
STOVE POLISH

Cast Dice for Bibles. The Bible Orchard is a piece of land in the parish of St. Ives, Hants, England. Dr. Robert Wilde, who died in August, 1878, bequeathed £50, the year's interest on which was to be expended in the purchase of six bibles, exceeding the price of 7s 6d each, which should be "cast for by dice" on the communion table of St. Ives on the last Thursday of May, by six boys and six girls of the town. Hence the day is known as Bible Thursday. The capital sum was invested in what is known as Bible Orchard.

The Parting Gift

There is Always Room in the Soldier's Kit For Portraits of the Home Folks

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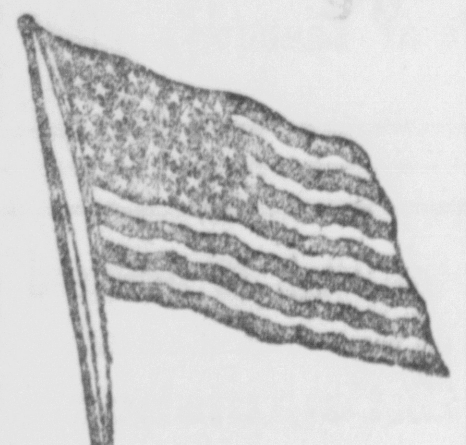
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Your Flag and my Flag!
And, oh, how much it holds
Of your Land and my Land
Safe within its folds.
Your heart and my heart
Beat quicker at the sight;
Sun-kissed and wind-kissed,
The Red, the Blue and White!
The one Flag—the Great Flag—
The Flag for me and you—
Glorified the whole world wide—
The Red, the White, the Blue!

TRIFLES THAT WIN

Here are some household "trifles" that will help feed the soldiers in France and the starving people of the war-stricken area:

If every family of 20,000,000 American households waste but one slice of bread daily it means a waste of 14,000,000 ounces of flour, or 875,000 pounds; or enough flour to make more than 1,000,000 one-pound loaves daily. As a yearly average this means the yield from 470,000 acres, figuring the average yield at 14.9 bushels.

If every one of these families wastes just a half cup of milk, sweet or sour, daily, it means 2,500,000 quarts daily, or the yearly product of 400,000 cows. If every family wastes one fourth of an ounce of butter daily, it means 312,500 pounds a day or the yearly milk product of more than 500,000 cows.

If every family wastes an ounce of edible meat, whether it is lean, mixed fat or suet, it wastes 1,250,000 pounds of animal food a day or 456,000,000 pounds a year; or distributing this amount according to the per capita consumption of the various meats (excluding bones) a combined herd of over 538,000 beef, 291,000 calves, over 625,000 sheep and lambs and more than 2,132,000 hogs.

DARING HOLDING NETS \$40,000

Highwaymen Raid Jewelry Store on Crowded Mill City Street.

Minneapolis, Nov. 22.—Three men with drawn revolvers, walked into Harry H. Green's jewelry store here at 8 a. m., which Nicollet avenue was crowded with pedestrians and automobiles.

They held up two clerks who had opened the store for the day, rifled the safe, stealing diamonds and pearls of value estimated at \$45,000.

After spending fifteen minutes in selecting the most valuable gems, and after knocking senseless with revolvers two men who disobeyed their orders, the robbers ran out of the store, leaped into an automobile, and vanished.

WILL AGREE TO SPARE VENICE

Austrians Listen to Urgent Appeal of Vatican.

Paris, Nov. 22.—The Vatican says that the Austrians have agreed to spare Venice in response to an appeal from the Vatican, but says that all authority must be left in the hands of the patriots. It is certain, the newspaper adds, that Venice will not be defended in the event that a further retreat of the Italian forces becomes necessary.

Labor Votes to Deport Alien Slackers

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 22.—The American Federation of Labor has gone on record as favoring the deportation of all Allied aliens in the United States who refuse to enlist here or under their own flags. During the two-hour debate of this resolution Delegate Black of Toronto denounced the United States conscription law as "that daedard act," and brought upon himself a stinging reply from President Compers, who was supported by the convention in the position he had taken.

Where Looks Count.

Lawyer (to handsome female defendant)—"Sob a whole lot, but shed no tears. Nothing will prejudice a jury against you like a red nose and watery eyes."

BRITISH SMASH GERMAN LINES

Haig Drives Foe Back Five Miles In Cambrai Region.

MOVE SURPRISES HUNS

Tanks And Allied Infantry Appear Suddenly Without Artillery Preparation—Foe Losses Enormous.

London, Nov. 22.—The great Hindenburg defense line on which the German commander-in-chief had built his hopes of holding the British from inroads into the open territory beyond, has been smashed. And the task, apparently was an easy one.

Attacking over a front of 32 miles, extending from the Scarpe river east of Arras to St. Quentin, Field Marshal Haig, with his English, Scotch, Irish and Welsh troops, has made one of the most rapid and spectacular drives of the present war, catching the Germans by surprise in the onslaught, capturing numerous positions which were regarded as impregnable and taking, in addition, thousands of prisoners and numerous guns.

London, Nov. 22.—The famous Hindenburg line has been broken by Field Marshal Haig. The British commander reports that at various points on a front of about 35 miles between St. Quentin and the River Scarpe his troops have smashed their way for a distance of between four and five miles through the first defenses of the vaunted Hindenburg defenses.

The second line—more than a mile behind the preliminary defenses—was also stormed by the victorious Tommies.

Tanks battered down the German defenses, crumbled away some of the artfully contrived German cement emplacements and ponderously drove forward, in advance of the artillery.

Cambrai Almost In Grasp.

Cambrai is now almost in the hands of the British.

The importance of the victory cannot as yet be fully estimated. Not only has the Hindenburg line been penetrated and at least two of its lines utterly destroyed, but the British now directly menace the main German line of communications—Douai, Cambrai and St. Quentin.

Surprise Is Complete.

The surprise of the British drive, coupled with its overpowering force, was so complete and the German demoralization so utter that official reports did not attempt to estimate the number of prisoners taken nor the quantity of guns, supplies and ammunition.

The attack was begun without artillery preparation. Field Marshal Haig reported that his great blow, aimed suddenly on the Arras-St. Quentin line, had gained this great victory "over the whole front."

Advance Five Miles.

British assaulting waves passed through the German lines to a depth of between four and five miles, over a very wide front.

Thousands of prisoners and a great number of guns were taken.

British troops must now be within sight of Cambrai, since before the drive the old lines were only eight miles distant from there.

There was every evidence that the enemy was utterly paralyzed by the tremendous force of the British blow, no less than its surprise. There had been no fighting of any magnitude on the Arras-St. Quentin sector since early in the summer.

Biggest Gain Since Marne.

In many circles here the victory was hailed as perhaps the most important military stroke achieved by the Allies since the battle of the Marne.

Actual penetration of the Hindenburg line, which Germany has boasted was completely impregnable, and which her militarists have led the people to believe would forever bar the allied progress, may be expected to have a powerful effect on German morale in the field and at home.

"Y" Fund Goes Over Fifty Millions.

New York, Nov. 22.—The Y. M. C. A. fund has now passed the \$50,000,000 mark. The latest authorized figures made public were \$50,153,954, which is \$15,153,954 more than the \$35,000,000 mark set in the campaign.

New U. S. Force Enters Trenches.

With the American Army in France, Nov. 22.—Another relief has taken place on the American sector. It was accomplished successfully and without the knowledge of the enemy. Artillery activity continues normal with the usual patrolling.

Declares Japan Will Stick.

Washington, Nov. 22.—"We are at war to end war and the struggle may be long, hence all Allies must be brought to one mind and purpose," declared Baron Megata, head of the Japanese financial mission, in an interview with the United Press. The Japanese financier endorsed President Wilson's plans for complete unity of allied aims and efforts in the most vigorous fashion. "Full co-operation—financial and economic—is entirely essential to success in warfare," he declared.

Leaders of the New Russian Revolution



FOREIGN MINISTER TROTSKY PREMIER LENIN

These are, so far, the best photographs which have arrived in the United States of Premier Nikolai Lenin and Foreign Minister Leon Trotsky. It shows them shortly before the successful uprising of the Bolsheviks at a funeral of one of their comrades carrying wreaths which they laid on the grave. It is believed the photograph was taken a little more than a month ago.

PEACE OFFER TO COME FROM RUSS

Proposal Expected at Once Pending Which Armistice Is Asked.

GERMAN REVOLT URGED

Bolsheviks Call on Teuton Populace to Rise Against Kaiser.—Kaledines Reported Leading Co-sacks on the Capital.

Petrograd, Nov. 22.—A dispatch from Yalta describes the formation in Crimea of a monarchist union whose slogan is "Onward for the czar and holy Russia." The union proposes to take an active part in the constituent assembly and has suggested General Brudhoff as one of its representatives. The organization plans to work openly in rallying adherents.

London, Nov. 22.—A Petrograd message received by the British admiralty by wireless press says:

"A political communique says that by order of the All Russian Workers' and Soldiers' Congress, the council of the 'people's' commissaries has assumed power with obligations to offer all the peoples and their respective government an immediate armistice on all fronts with the purpose of opening their parliaments immediately for conclusion of a democratic peace."

Warning Issued to Wealthy.

The Bolsheviks have issued a warning to the "wealthy classes and their servants," whom the extremists accuse of inciting strikes in the state and municipal services. The warning says:

"You are playing with fire. You will be the first to suffer from the famine that is threatening the country and army. You will be deprived of the right of receiving products. All your stores will be requisitioned and your property confiscated."

Bolsheviks Call for German Revolt.

Copenhagen, Nov. 22.—Communications have now been established between the Russian Bolsheviks and the German moderate Socialists. The telegram from the Bolshevik committee at Stockholm, which was to have been one of the features of the great Socialist mass meeting addressed by Philipp Scheidemann, the German Social leader, at Dresden, on Sunday, arrived at the capital of Saxony too late to be read.

Fighting Expected in Finland.

Copenhagen, Nov. 22.—A dispatch from Haparanda, Sweden, says a communique having been reached between the Socialist and Bourgeois parties in Finland, directed against the Russian soldiers, fighting is likely to begin at any moment.

Kaledines Moves on Moscow.

Washington, Nov. 22.—Swedish press reports on the situation in Russia received by the State Department

NEW ARMY GOOD AS U. S. EVER HAD

ITS MORALE AND SPIRIT NEVER EXCELLED, WRITE THE MEN WHO ARE IN COMMAND.

GENERALS PROUD OF TROOPS

Each Thinks Those of His Own Camp Are the Best, and the Veteran Officers Themselves Have Been Rejuvenated.

By EDWARD B. CLARK.

Washington.—Letters which come to me from men whom I have known since school days on that Hudson river plateau which is shadowed by Fort Putnam and Old Crow Nest mountain contain no military secrets, but they disclose perhaps better than anything else can the real spirit of the service as it is constituted today, the spirit which if not maintained will make for defeat.

The letters are from general officers commanding camps and contingents of the American army in divers places and they tell the most convincing stories of the morale and the general excellence of health and spirit of the new armies of the republic.

Take the letters together and their contents represent conditions in camps in which Americans from every section are quartered. It would seem that the spirit of the soldiers of the South, the West, the East and the North is one. The high desire of proper service on the part of drafted men is one of the most satisfactory of the findings. Some men did not expect real heart service from some of the drafted ones.

Is Real American Army.

From the letters of the commanding officers one gets no word of self praise nor of self congratulation. Commendation is all for the spirit of the men, and the manner in which the new ones have fitted themselves to meet strange and at times trying conditions. The main point is that the major generals and the brigadier generals of the United States army, here and abroad, seem to be entirely satisfied that the great American army of today in patriotism and in spirit of endeavor is as worthy as any of our armies of the past, and what this means all Americans know.

There is something of the lightness of life in the letters of these American general officers. One of them who had seen thirty years' service as a hard riding cavalryman, a man of many campaigns, is in command of one of the great embarkation posts, a camp which has been described as "amphibious." This cavalryman has done a great service in his new work, a fact which is attested by war department records. From his quarters looking out over his post, half land and half water, he writes:

"I have been on this job since July, when I was pulled out of the West and sent down here, thus spoiling a perfectly good cavalryman to make a horse marine out of him."

This general officer will have some trouble in making anybody believe that he has been spoiled as a cavalryman. The records, however, show that he has made of himself a most excellent "horse marine."

Proud of Their Men.

There is another letter which comes from one of the greatest of the middle western encampments. It is written by the major general commanding a man who fought in the last great Indian uprising, in Cuba, in the Philippines and on the border, finding "time between times" to go under orders to Washington to lend his advice on machine-gun and other matters.

He believes that no major general ever commanded a finer body of troops than that which is serving under him today. In fact every letter breathes the assurance that the young Americans of the new service are fit, but naturally each general officer seems to think that nowhere else can there be anything like the men under his immediate eye, and voice command. This simply proves that Americans are pretty much alike wherever they come from and into whatever military camp they go.

These major generals and brigadier generals of the United States army have been made into youths again by the new service. They are as enthusiastic as yearling cadets at their first mounted field artillery drill, when the rush and the clatter of things makes the spirit jump. Every letter which has come is charged with enthusiasm, the kind which makes for effort and final accomplishment.

Letters have come to me from the other side of the water from friends now in high command who "only the other day" were learning the back-breaking lessons of the setting-up drill. Our troops in France are simply American lads whose lessons are a little farther advanced than those of the troops in our camps at home. The spirit is there mounting perhaps under the stimulus of the battle line, but probably is no steeper or truer than the spirit of the lads whose trench digging operations today are far removed from the eye of the enemy.

Figuratively Speaking.

"I suppose the young men do not regard Miss Barrowcliff as so handsome now that her father has lost his money?"

"Well, they don't think she has such a fine figure as she once had."—Pearson Weekly.

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THE BOY SCOUTS CANVASS

To be Held Saturday as That is Only Day Which the Boys Can Give to the Movement

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Do you care to be identified with those who have added their mite to the Y. M. C. A. war fund which will enable our boys at the front to be given some of the comforts and encouragement of home when they return from the trenches?

Do you feel that you and I, remaining behind and enjoying the comforts, even luxuries of life, have discharged our personal obligation in this war by doing a little cheering, waving a flag and wishing the other fellow good luck on his mission in the interests of humanity which leads him almost into the very jaws of death itself?

If you feel like adding your name to the list, the final opportunity is here. The Y. M. C. A. War fund campaign in Brainerd will close Friday evening. Solicitors will discontinue their work, reports will be handed in and early next week, the general committee will make ready for publication its final report. The names of donors and the amounts contributed will be published and a receipt issued to everyone who gave towards the fund. Will your name be written there? Your opportunity is here now, if you have not already contributed. This is a final call and appeal to your loyalty, your unselfishness and your devotion to the principles for which America and Old Glory stand. This appeal is made public in order that no man, woman or child may have the flimsy excuse of saying, "No one called on me."

Boy Scouts

The Boy Scouts will continue their canvass Saturday, as this is the only day in which they can work and not be taken out of school. If you have not contributed, call the first boy scout you see and give him a check; it will encourage him and there is no more worthy or loyal avenue through which a donation to this fund can be made than through the Boy Scouts, earnest, honest, loyal little men, doers of the work they are and they are American citizens of the best type, in the making.

Encourage them by taking them by the hand, dig down into your pocket and hand them a liberal donation to the Y. M. C. A. war fund. You can then go home with a satisfaction in your heart not obtained by self-congratulations that you have "got by" and dodged the solicitors or perhaps given a sum far below that of others in no better financial circumstances than yourself.

Pernicious Stories

There is always the pernicious, skulking coward in any community, snarling like a toothless hound at the efforts of others. The presence of these festering ulcers on the breast of Time has been reported even in fair Brainerd.

Lies, malicious cowardly lies, the creatures of these individuals, charging the Y. M. C. A. War Fund as a "graft" and insinuating that the funds raised are used for personal gain by some who are high up in the noble work, have been circulated.

It is needless to say that an indignant public is certain to act and act mightily promptly in these cases where sufficient evidence is obtainable.

Soldiers' Evidence

The evidence of the men returning on furlough from the front, letters from those now in the very trenches, a word of honest endorsement of this great work, is sufficient to warrant the public in the implicit confidence they feel in the movement and the men who are giving their time, money and influence in promoting it.

No one who reads, talks with the soldiers or who cares to see the good things in life, can for a moment credit the contemptible snarlings of those apologies to nature who condemn the movement. The public practically to a man, has indicated a heart-whole endorsement and keen interest in the work to aid the boys at the front and the Y. M. C. A. drive goes down in history as an example

HARD COAL FOR BRAINERD

At the afternoon session of the Crow Wing county fuel commissioners held Wednesday, the arrival of two cars of hard coal in Brainerd was the subject of discussion and the proper way to distribute the same so that those most in need were served first.

Those having magazine stoves, said A. J. Hayes, the Crosby member of the commission, should first receive their apportionment. He favored such procedure as otherwise such stove owners would be compelled to buy other stoves in order to burn soft coal, etc.

of what Americans can and will do, when put to the test.

Final Appeal

The opportunity is here to be listed with the givers, the actual doers of the work. The drive is about over and one final, honest and earnest appeal is made the public by the general committee to come to the front at this, the eleventh hour, if not already enrolled as having given and help put Brainerd on the map as one of the big, liberal-hearted communities, doing her full share for the government. Do it now, do it freely and do it with all your might.

KOOCHICHING COUNTY CASE

Now on Trial in District Court May Last Well Into Next Week

The case of Koochiching county vs. the Northwestern Construction Co., a case on change of venue in Crow Wing county, will last the rest of the week and may carry well into next week. It concerns a claim for damages made by the county against the construction company, alleging the rural highway was not built according to specifications. Conspiracy charges are also made.

John H. Mullen of St. Paul went on the stand late Wednesday and was examined Thursday, stating from notes made in October, 1914, as to the condition of the road at that time. From 300 to 400 items are being taken up as they relate to the work done at different stations on the route.

The case is important as the claim for damages sued on amounts to over \$50,000.

BRAINERD'S ODDEST STORIES OF TODAY

The O'Brien Mercantile Co., a truck force are road builders of more than ordinary merit, for any time they get stuck they fix up the bad place with cinders or rock and thus earn the thanks of the community. The moral of this is, if you want your street fixed, become a customer of Con O'Brien and the delivery truck fellows will fix that road so they can reach you. Talk about giving customers service, in all the history of merchandising problems, as Jay would say, there is nothing that can equal the O'Brien idea in trade extension and the building and maintaining of trade routes.

A chimney sweep was up in court on some charge and when asked what it was about, he told a friend it was just some argument with a woman. As he was a single man he showed his ignorance of human nature by classing an argument with a woman as a matter of small importance.

A prospective bridegroom got the license at the court house and spelled the girl's name all wrong. Another gave the age of the prospective bride as 19, her mother said it wasn't even 18, the license was revoked and the original applicant for the license wanted his money back when the wedding fell through.

As is usually the case, bumpers are not bought by car owners until the bumps have occurred.

The "Red Book" which contains all the sharp points on students' deportment and is not, as some might believe, a brochure by the government on diplomatic relations with some power, proved a stumbling block in a recent basketball game and caused a faculty man to trip and fall down.

The mining companies on the Cuyuna iron range have given the Liberty Loan, Red Cross and now the Y. M. C. A. war fund some tremendously good boosts in the way of subscriptions.

MEN TO AID IN MAKING DRESSINGS

Men's Auxiliary Formed at Chamber of Commerce to Assist Ladies in Red Cross Work

THE CLASSES MEET REGULARLY

At Surgical Dressing Room at Whittier School on Holly Street, First Aid Supplies Made

The men's auxiliary to the surgical dressing department of the Red Cross was established last evening at the Chamber of Commerce and a number of volunteers were enrolled.

This movement has been put in action in most large cities and offers an opportunity for the men who wish to aid the ladies in preparing material for them to work with.

This preparation consists of cutting gauze and carding or combing oakum and greatly relieves the women workers physically.

This work will be done in the surgical dressing room at the Whittier school on Holly street and the classes will meet Monday and Friday evenings from 7:30 to 10:30.

The committee in active charge of the work consists of Paul G. Clarkson, Dr. I. C. Edwards and D. E. Whitney, assisted as a consulting committee by Drs. J. A. Thabes, R. A. Beise and Werner Hemstead.

All are eligible to assist and the committee is desirous of having all that will do so join at once, giving their names to either F. T. Lincoln, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, or Chairman Clarkson.

Help is needed at once to assist in preparing "first aid" supplies.

Our boys are in the trenches and need these bandages, sponges and other "first aid" material, perhaps a little help from you may save a "Sammy's" life.

No one is barred, all are welcome, many are needed.

Don't be a slacker on this any more than on the bond issue or Y. M. C. A. fund let's go "over the top" with the right kind of encouragement for the women who are giving up so much to this noble work.

Report at 7:30 P. M. at Surgical Dressing Headquarters in Whittier

school building either on Friday or Monday evenings.

There's lots to do and the men must help. Let's go!

PAUL G. CLARKSON,
I. C. EDWARDS,
D. E. WHITNEY,
Committee.

16 CARS STOCK SHIPPED

Excellent Record Being Made by Farmers Livestock Shipping Association

G. S. McCulloch shipped another car load of stock for the shipping association this week. This makes a total of sixteen car loads of stock that has been shipped through the association this fall. This is considered excellent for the first year. When the livestock shipping association was organized at Litchfield, there was only fourteen car loads shipped the first year. Last year 182 car

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Before your very eyes nations banding together in a blood brotherhood against a common enemy.

Heroes and cowards transformed into supermen of gigantic courage walking and scurrying into a living hell of shells and fumes to bring in the wounded from artillery-raked plains.

Women showing their bravery in the home and at the camps; women living through the inferno of battle to nurse and stimulate their men to victory; women risking certain death to be near the men they love. And the arrival of the Stars and Stripes on the battle-front in France in a climax that brings audiences up to their feet with cheers.

These are the exciting things you see in Edwin Bower Hesser's inspiring photo-panorama "FOR THE FREEDOM OF THE WORLD"

Throughout its eight remarkable reels you hear the tread of thundering feet marching along the Roads to Glory in defense of their blood brothers' honor and the rights of civilization.

HERE is the story of the million men of the National army. Here is the history in vivid picture of what your son, your brother, your sweetheart your pal is to pass through.

You who fly the Service Flag before your home, you who have watched your closest friends depart—here is the living picture of the life that America's youth is leading in training camps, in transports, behind the front—and soon—in the very trenches themselves.

First the training camps. You see Americans learning the art of war for the first time in a generation. You see five thousand men charging a trench—the rush and sweep of the attack, the race up specially built inclines of board and dirt. You see them leap the barbed wire, and bayonet the mile enemy on the other side. And then "dig in."

Hand grenade practice, setting-up drills, gas-attack, star-shell practice, aerial defense—all that America of the National Army is learning you see.

And then—these grim and terrible lessons are put into practice in sober, deadly earnest on the fire-swept battle fields of France before your very eyes. The heroism of it is the heroism of actuality.

YOUR boy, YOUR sweetheart, YOUR pal. Here is the story of HIS struggle "For the Freedom of the World."

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FOR SALE—Autos and trailers. Albert Angel. 1658-12326

FOR SALE—Fresh cow at 1208 S. 7th, or phone 131-J. 1750-14213

FOR SALE—Two cruiser's compasses. Inquire 601 2nd Ave. N. E. 1763-1451f

FOR SALE—Small National cash register, \$30. John H. Kregelberg, Citizens State Bank building. 1768-1461f

FOR SALE—One No. 7 Radiant Home hard coal burner. H. W. Linnemann. Inquire at store. 1748-1411f

FOR SALE—Strictly modern seven room house, four blocks north of depot, lot 40 by 150 feet, with garage. Inquire at 521 Holly, or call 667-W. 1763-1451f

FOR SALE CHEAP—A 1916 Overland touring car, or will trade for realty property. C. B. Harris, 601 Second Ave. 1745-1411f

FOR SALE—Or will trade for Brainerd city property or land, a garage building 30x90 feet in Stewartville, Minn. Mrs. H. D. Eagle, 1107 Norwood St. 1761-1441f

\$2,500—Modern built dwelling, 8 rooms, north Broadway; electric lights, gas, front and back porches. Three corner lots, street paved. For a quick sale will be sold at a bargain. 1-3 cash, balance \$20.00 per month. J. R. Smith, Sleeper Block. 1723-1381f

MISCELLANEOUS

LOST—A silver cavalry pin. Return to this office. 1764-14512

FOUND—A small purse containing some change. Owner can recover at this office. 1753-1431f

British Take 8,000 Prisoners. London, Nov. 22.—Andrew Bonar Law announced in the House of Commons that 8,000 prisoners, including 180 officers, have been taken by the British in their present operations.

On Trial for Slaying Husband. Mineola, L. I., Nov. 22.—For the first time since her murder trial opened, Bianca De Saules seemed almost animated Wednesday as she entered court, smiled at her sister, Amalia, and looked shyly at the eight jurors in the box. Defense counsel Henry A. Uterhart, declared the prospect of seeing her child, Jack, after court adjourned, had made a marked change in Mrs. De Saules. The sister, Amalia, looked even sadder and more weary than Mrs. De Saules.

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Lieutenant Commander of Destroyer Chauncey on Bridge When Vessel Goes Down.

GAVE LIFE SAVING MEN

Two Other Officers Also Die—Belief That All Three Were Attempting to Rescue Crew—Sentry on Vessel Saved.

Washington, Nov. 22.—Twenty-one American sailors—three officers and 18 men—lost their lives when the destroyer Chauncey was sunk by collision in the darkness of early Monday in the war zone. Dispatches from Vice Admiral Sims, in command of the fleet of which the Chauncey was a unit, gave the list of casualties. They stretch across the country from Boston to Los Angeles.

The Chauncey's commander, Lieutenant Commander Walter E. Reno, died at his post on the bridge. He went down into the waters with his ship.

The official announcement made by the Navy department gives no details of the collision. It was learned unofficially, however, that the Chauncey was rammed by a large merchantman speeding through the waters of the war zone in a dash to port. Both ships had all lights out.

The vessel carried 88 men besides the three officers and 799 of the enlisted personnel were saved.

The manner in which the rescue was effected, the fate of the vessel with which the destroyer collided, and other details are awaited by the Navy department. Officials believe three officers lost their lives in an effort to save as many of the men as possible.

Officers Killed.

The officers who lost their lives were:

Lieutenant Commander Walter E. Reno, U. S. N.; next of kin, wife, Beatrice Reno, 2319 South Twenty-first street, Philadelphia.

Lieutenant (Junior Grade) Charles F. Wedderburn, U. S. N.; next of kin, mother, Gertrude F. Wedderburn, Chevy Chase, Md.

Ensign Harry G. Skinner, Jr., U. S. Naval Reserve force; next of kin, mother, Mrs. Harry G. Skinner, Mount Washington, Md.

Lieutenant Commander Reno was 36 years old and appointed to the naval academy from Missouri in 1901. He was made a lieutenant in 1910 and appointed lieutenant commander last May.

Lieutenant Wedderburn, who was 25 years of age, was born in Chicago and appointed to Annapolis from Maryland in 1911. He was made an ensign in the navy in 1915 and was temporarily appointed a lieutenant of the junior grade on July 1, 1917.

Ensign Skinner was a member of the naval reserves and born in Baltimore in 1889. He received his appointment as ensign last May.

PACKING PLANT SET ON FIRE

About to Begin Furnishing Meat to Troops.

Los Angeles, Nov. 22.—Fire damaged the plant of the Hauser Packing company in the wholesale district here. The company was to have announced that it soon would begin delivery of its total output of meat products to the government for the use of troops.

Investigation by the fire department disclosed that a bucket filled with oil saturated burlap had been placed in the lard room and then ignited.

When the watchman attempted to turn in an alarm he found the signal wires had been severed.

QUESTION UP TO CONGRESS

To Decide on War Declaration Against German Allies.

Washington, Nov. 22.—Whether the United States shall declare war against Germany's allies promises to be a subject of considerable discussion at the next session of Congress, according to Senator Hitchcock, ranking member of the foreign relations committee, on his return to Washington. In his opinion the question presents many complications and is one of extreme delicacy as well as importance in immediate and future developments of the war.

Strict Rationing For Norway. Christiania, Nov. 22.—In view of the serious food situation caused by the American export reductions, the storking has decided on careful rationing of the population. Only 179 grams of bread per person will be permitted henceforth, unless the American export rules are relaxed.

Slacker Is Scored. Toronto, Nov. 22.—Although it is not necessary for the citizens of the United States to register under the Canadian military service act, those who do register can claim exemption on the ground of American citizenship. This was made clear recently, when a young American resident here received exemption from Judge Denton's tribunal. "You ought to be man enough to go home and fight for your own country," Lieut. Col. Brown, the military representative in court, told the young man.

SAMMIES MOVING FAST

U. S. Soldiers Arriving on French Front in Steady Stream.

Not Expected, However, That Number Will Reach One Million Within Year.

Washington, Nov. 22.—With the rush desired by Premier Lloyd George of England, the United States' first million troops are steadily pouring into France.

But with the utmost driving power now behind the munitions and shipping program and the training of American soldiers in cantonments, a million can scarcely be fully equipped within a year. It requires at least 10 tons of shipping constantly in use to supply each fighting man. Experts doubted that America would have more than 10,000,000 tons before 1919.

Agree With British.

But officials agree with the British premier that the situation in Russia and Italy demands a vast volume of fighters from the United States for the knockout on the western front. Military chiefs today, counting on 1,500,000 Sammies trained or in training already, predicted two million more would be placed in class one of the next draft.

How many other millions America must furnish is problematical. An official opinion given the United Press today was that the country never draw beyond the middle of class two of the new draft system.

Details Not Permissible.

Voluntary censorship prevents publication of the present strength of the American expeditionary forces. But there has been a tremendous increase since the first Sammies under Pershing were landed. Inadvertent leaks of national guard officers abroad gave the public a hint of the battering ram Pershing is constructing over there of militia, regulars and marine divisions.

PLANS TO SPEED UP SHIPPING

Secretary Baker Pays Visit to Gotham Harbor.

New York, Nov. 22.—Secretary of War Baker, accompanied by two members of the United States Shipping board, Edward N. Hurley, chairman of the board, and Edward F. Barry, its director of shipping, came to New York and spent several hours in inspecting New York harbor, in connection with plans for increasing its facilities for the expedition of ships to Europe.

Secretary Baker and his associates returned to Washington immediately after the inspection.

German Fuel Shortage Grows Worse. Copenhagen, Nov. 22.—All concerts, lectures and public meetings in Munich, Bavaria, have been prohibited between December 1 and mid-February. This action is taken because of the fuel shortage, which is steadily becoming worse.

DAILY MARKET REPORT.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Nov. 22.—Oats, December, 65¢; May, 65¢; May, rye \$1.84.

Duluth Flax.

Duluth, Nov. 22.—Flaxseed, Nov. \$3.27½; Dec. \$3.23; May, \$3.18½.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, Nov. 22.—Estimated receipts at the Union Stock Yards today: Cattle, 5,600; calves, 700; hogs, 17,000; sheep, 1,000; horses, 15; cars, 366.

Railroads entering the yards reported receipts for the day by loads as follows: Burlington, 9; Milwaukee, 23; Rock Island, 3; Omaha, 40; Great Northern, 197; St. Louis, 28; Northern Pacific, 40; Soo Line, 10.

Cattle.—Steers \$6.82½; cows, \$6.25; 10; calves, \$7.11½; hogs, \$17.10; 17.35; sheep and lambs \$10.50; 15.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Nov. 22.—Hog receipts, 38,000; strong, bulk, \$17.65; 17.35; light, \$17.45; 17.90; mixed, \$17.45; 18.05; heavy \$17.40; 18.05; rough \$17.40; 17.60; pigs, \$14.75; 17.80. Cattle receipts, 24,000; firm, native steers, \$7.50; 15; western steers, \$6.10; 13.75; stockers and feeders, \$5.90; 11.50; cows and heifers \$4.90; 11.90; calves \$7.12.25. Sheep, receipts 20,000; strong, wethers, \$8.75; 12.90; lambs, \$12.55; 17.40.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Minneapolis, Nov. 22.—BUTTER—Creamery extras, per lb. 43c; extra firsts, 42c; firsts, 41c; seconds, 40c, dairy, 30c; packing stock, 35c.

EGGS—Fresh prime firsts, new cases, free from rots, small dirties and checks out, per doz., 44c; current receipts, rots out, \$12.30; refrigerator, candled, doz., 35c; checks and seconds doz. 30c; dirties, candled, doz., 30c. Quotations on eggs include cases.

LIVE POULTRY—Turkeys, fat, 10 lbs. and over, 21c; thin, small, unsalable; cripples and culls, unsalable; roosters, 12c; hens, 4 pounds and over 17c; hens 3 to 4 lbs., 15c; under 3 lbs., 12c; ducks, 15c; geese, lb. 14c; springs, lb. 17c.

5,000 Women Work For Railroad.

Philadelphia, Nov. 22.—Approximately 30 per cent of the entire force of employees of the Pennsylvania Railroad lines west of Pittsburgh are women, according to a report of the general manager. All told, there are slightly in excess of 5,000 women on the payroll today, as compared with 1,956 June 1. These women are holding all kinds of jobs from train dispatcher to section hand, the list including signal tower operators, station cleaners, drafting, and other occupations.

GOSSIP ABOUT OUR MAJOR GENERALS

NEARLY ALL OF THEM KNEW ONE ANOTHER AT THE WEST POINT ACADEMY.

FROM ALL PARTS OF COUNTRY

Sturgis Is Son of Noted Civil War Cavalry Officer—Brigadier General Morse's Long Record of Virtually Unbroken Field Service.

By EDWARD B. CLARK.

Washington.—Many of the major generals of the United States army who individually are commanding National Guard or National army camps were classmates at the United States Military academy, and virtually all of the major generals served at West Point for at least a year or two together, although of course they were not all classmates. These men know one another's ways from boyhood up, and it is altogether probable that the war department itself knows their ways, or otherwise it would not have chosen them for high command.

Take the National Guard encampments, for instance. Maj. Gen. Clarence R. Edwards, who until recently was in command at Camp Greene, N. C., and Maj. Gen. C. G. Morton, commanding at Camp McClellan, Ala., were in the class of 1883 and were close friends. Of the major generals commanding National Guard regiments, Edwards, Morton, Morrison, Kernan, Greble, Trent, Sage, Hodges and Strong saw service at the school on the Hudson at the same time.

So far as the National army is concerned, Maj. Gen. H. F. Hodges, Chase W. Kennedy, Adelbert Cronkhite, H. C. Hale, J. T. Dickman, S. D. Sturgis and H. T. Allen were fellow cadets in the early '90s. There are no major generals and only a few brigadier generals in any of the armies of the United States today who need to be introduced to one another when they meet.

All Sections Represented.

All sections of the country are represented in the high ranks of the United States army, the North, the South, the East, the West and the middle country. The Maine man commands in one camp, the Alabama man in another, and a far Westerner in yet another. They speak of the division of National Guard troops which is composed of units from 26 different states as a "National regiment" because it is so representative of different sections. The commanding generals represent in a high sense and in a literal sense this union of states.

With a good many of these officers the writer of this article was at school for a shorter or a longer time, the period depending upon the year in which these officers graduated. Major General Edwards, Morton, Strong, Kennedy, Hale, Dickman and Sturgis I knew and still know well.

A letter reached me only a short time ago from Gen. H. C. Hale, now commanding Camp Taylor, Kentucky. This letter was written in far-off China and it was mailed within a few hours apparently of the time that "Harry"—that is his first name—learned that he had been made a brigadier general.

Maj. Gen. Samuel D. Sturgis, who is in command of the Eighty-seventh division of the National army at Camp Pike, Arkansas, is a son of the late General Sturgis, who was a noted cavalry officer in the Union army during the war between the states. The elder Sturgis after the Civil war was for some time colonel of the famous Seventh cavalry. A brother of the major general now commanding at Camp Pike was killed with Custer on that awful day, June 25, 1876, when the swarming Sioux surrounded that devoted squadron of the Seventh cavalry and literally wiped it from existence.

General Morse's Active Life.

In speaking of officers of general rank there is one brigadier general of whom something more than a word should be spoken. He is Benjamin C. Morse, commanding the One Hundred Sixty-ninth infantry brigade of the National army at Camp Custer, Mich., which is under the command of Maj. Gen. Joseph T. Dickman.

Brigadier General Morse is a graduate of the Military academy of the class of 1864. He has had a soldier's life of virtually unbroken field service. He has done straight soldiering from the day when, as a stripling second lieutenant, he joined his regiment in the fall of 1864. He hardly knows what an order to anything except active field service looks like. He is better acquainted with the tented field than with the streets of the city of Washington, or of those of any other headquarters city. The same things might be written of several other officers who recently have been advanced to high command.

A great deal has been written about Maj. Gen. Joseph E. Kuhn, now in command of the Seventy-ninth division at Camp Meade, Maryland. General Kuhn for a long time was stationed in Berlin as our military attaché. It is an open secret that the Germans did not treat him any too well. The habit of suspicion of everything American seemed to be fixed upon them. When General Kuhn, then a colonel, returned to America he was made chief of the war college, a position which he filled admirably.

WOMEN PART OF AMERICA'S ARMY

WIVES, DAUGHTERS AND SISTERS WORK LIKE SOLDIERS FOR CAUSE OF COUNTRY.

Stoically Bid Their Men Farewell and Continue Their Labors for the Service—All This Especially Noticeable in Washington.

By EDWARD B. CLARK.

Washington.—Washington thinks in different terms from the rest of the country "of the army of the United States." The capital includes women of the country when it speaks of the army, for here at any rate women are working like soldiers for the cause of country.

Officials here realize unquestionably that the women of the rest of the country are working also, but in Washington, where so many thousands of soldiers, officers, and enlisted men are stationed, the numbers of the army women are multiplied and every one of the members is laboring day and frequently by night for the service of Uncle Sam.

Take, for instance, what is known as "the Highlands Auxiliary of the Red Cross." This is an organization of 300 women, only one of many of like kind, which is presided over by the wife of the surgeon-general of the United States army, Mrs. William C. Gorgas. Nearly every woman connected with this auxiliary is an army woman, and in the case of this particular organization nearly every woman who works has her thoughts "over there."

In this army group of women there is hardly one whose husband, father, son or brother is not already on or close to the battle line in France. It used to be said that in times of peace army women take things very easily. In times of war they do not take things hard in the sense that they give way to fears for their dear ones, but they take life exceedingly seriously, and they work from reveille to taps, and sometimes beyond.

Scene of Many Farewells.

Every day in Washington women must say "good-by" to fighting members of their families. Washington is a rendezvous for officers and to some extent for enlisted men prior to leaving to take part in what is life's greatest adventure this side of death. An army order forbids the wives of American officers following their husbands abroad. The parting here therefore may be forever, but however great the sorrow, the army women bear up. They have traditions to sustain.

The wonder is if people generally know what some of these traditions of army women are. In the older day these women of the service followed their husbands to the far frontier posts, there to undergo all the hardships of the wilderness. In two known cases which are on record the women of two frontier garrisons which were attacked by Indians fought side by side with the soldiers until the time came when it seemed as if the garrisons must be overwhelmed by numbers. Then the women, by common agreement, made their way into the powder magazines of the fortifications, with the full determination if the garrisons were overcome to touch a match to the stored powder and thus to die rather than to fall into the hands of the savages.

It happened that in both the cases on record aid reached the beleaguered garrisons before the Sioux managed to gain an entrance into the stockade.

Cling to Army Traditions.

The men of the regular army of the United States hold fast to their own traditions, and do what they can to live up to them. The army women cherish traditions also, and they are stoics when it comes to the ordeal of separation from loved ones whom they never may see again this side of eternity.

So it is that in Washington the women of the army who are left behind, work from the coming gray of the day to the passing gray of the day for the soldiers of the service, thinking of their own who are "over there," but willing if word comes, that their own have died, to continue the work undaunted for the loved ones of others who still are fighting along the embattled lines.

The regular army has its traditions. The new National army has few traditions back of it except American traditions, which are of the high courage and patriotism of the people generally. The wives, mothers and sisters of the men of the National army and of those of the National Guard as well are working in Washington side by side with their sisters of the regular service in the effort to provide all that is necessary for the comfort and the general well being of the soldiers in the field.

One of the present examples of what women outside the families of the regular service are willing to do is shown by the fact that Mrs. Borden Harrison is now in France in an endeavor to induce the authorities to allow hundreds of American girls, anxious for the service, to go to France to drive ambulances from the very front of battle to the relieving stations and base hospitals. Service of this kind is dangerous in the highest degree, and it is today performed exclusively, save perhaps in one or two cases, by men.

U. BOAT TOLL GROWS

Sinkings of Week Exceed Those of Previous Weeks.

Ten Merchantmen of More Than 1,600 Tons Are Sent to Bottom by Submarines.

London, Nov. 22.—Seventeen British merchantmen were sunk by mines or submarines last week, according to the British admiralty. Of these 10 were vessels of 1,600 tons and over and seven of less than 1,600 tons.

Last week's sinkings greatly exceed the previous week, when only one vessel of 1,600 tons or over and five craft of less tonnage were sent to the bottom. In fact it represents in the aggregate the greatest number of vessels destroyed since the week of October 28, when 18 were lost. Since then there has been a gradual falling off in shipping losses until the minimum since Germany's intensified submarine campaign began was reached November 11, with a total of six.

As far as the losses of large vessels are concerned, however, the present admiralty report apparently bears out the optimistic statement made recently by Premier Lloyd George that he had no further fear of submarines and of the first lord of the admiralty that enemy submarines were being sunk to an increasing extent, for the sinkings in the 1,600 and over category last week were the lowest since March, except for the weeks of September 16, November 4 and November 11, when in the two former weeks the total in each instance was eight and in the latter six.

One Italian Steamer Sunk.

Rome, Nov. 22.—Italian marine losses from submarine attacks during the week ended November 18 were one large steamer sunk and another steamer damaged by a torpedo and afterwards towed into port, the official announcement says.

A Healthy Spot.

Livorno must be a healthy spot. Within a small radius there are residing in the pretty Cardiff suburb seven people whose aggregate ages total 569 years.

Healthy Skin

DEPENDS ON KIDNEYS.

The skin and the intestines, which work together with the kidneys to throw out the poisons of the body, do a part of the work, but a clean body and a healthy one depends on the kidneys. If the kidneys are clogged with toxic poisons you suffer from stiffness in the knees in the morning on arising, your joints seem "rusty," you may have rheumatic pains, pain in the back, stiff neck, headaches, sometimes swollen feet, or neuralgic pains—all due to the uric acid or toxic poisons in the blood. This is the time to go to the nearest drug store and simply obtain a 50c. package of Anurie, the discovery of Dr. Pierce of Buffalo, N. Y. Then drink a cup of hot water before meals, with an Anurie Tablet, and notice the gratifying results. Anurie will help you, because it flushes the kidneys of impurities. You will find it 87 times more active than Mitha. Dissolves uric acid as water does sugar.

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